

The Times.

AMUSEMENTS OF THE DAY.

NATIONAL—"Cheerers," 2:15 and 8:15 p.m.
COLUMBIA—"Virginia Harned in 'The Light That Lies in Woman's Eyes,'" 8:15 p.m.
LAFAYETTE—"His Last Dollar," 2:15 and 8:15 p.m.
CHASE'S—Vaudeville, 2:15 and 8:15 p.m.
ACADEMY—"Through Fire and Water," 2 p.m.
EMPIRE—"Across the Rockies," 2 and 8 p.m.
LYCEUM—"The Moonlight Maids," 2:15 and 8:15 p.m.
AMERICAN LEAGUE PARK—Baseball, Washington vs. Cleveland, 4 p.m.
CABIN JOHN BRIDGE—Haley's Band and Palm Garden.

MATINEES TOMORROW.

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EXCURSIONS.

Norfolk and Washington steamer for Norfolk and Port Mouton, 6:30 p.m.
Chesapeake Beach—Trains leave District Line station 10:45 a.m., 2:30 and 5:30 p.m.

TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

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Where Huntsmen Bag Their Game.

William Wagner, on Monday, killed eight dozen ortolan and three ducks on the Patuxent. Mr. Wagner reports redbirds scarce in that district at present.
Joseph Malloy yesterday bagged eight redbirds and four dozen blackbirds on the Benning marshes.

Information for Fishermen

The water at Great Falls today is muddy and registers 5. At Harper's Ferry the Shenandoah and Potomac are muddy, but are gradually clearing.
Thomas Wilkins, of the Canal Road, caught a large bass yesterday in the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, near the outlet lock, the only bass caught in the canal in the vicinity of Georgetown for several months.
Several rockfish were caught yesterday in the Potomac by a member of the Seventh precinct force.
Edward M. Reed and John Devitt, of Alexandria, were fishing at the Dyke near Mount Vernon, yesterday and caught twenty-four pounds of bass.
Bass are reported plentiful at Four Mile Run, between Washington and Alexandria.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Joseph W. Craig, 24, and Mary Lee Wright, 22.
Alfred H. Stephens, 54, and Belle B. Nickens, 43.
John Allen, 37, District of Columbia, and Elzora G. Butler, 30, Blairsville, Pa.
Charles E. Padgett, 47, Holmesburg, Pa., and Mollie Holmes, 42, District of Columbia.
John H. Righter, 24, and Addie E. Davis, 19.
Joseph F. Schofield, 31, and Minnie W. Wise, 31.
John W. White, 30, and Bessie E. Lovins, 28.
John Brauman, 38, and Katherine G. Maier, 20.
William Stephens, 26, and Lilly Dixon, 22.
William Henson, 42, and Virginia Hardy, 30.
Irvin Hatcher, 22, Middleburg, Va., and Fannie Woodward, 25, Front Royal, Va.

Reduced Rates to Baltimore via Pennsylvania Railroad.
For the benefit of those desiring to attend the annual session of the Sovereign Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., at Baltimore, Md., September 21 to 26, the Pennsylvania Railroad will sell round-trip tickets to Baltimore from Washington on September 19 to 25, inclusive, at rate of \$1.00, good for return passage until September 28.

VANISHED FROM SIGHT OF ALL HIS FRIENDS

Mysterious Disappearance of R. B. Carroway, a Government Clerk.

The police were last night requested to aid in the search for Richard B. Carroway, a clerk in the office of James S. Easby-Smith, attorney in charge of pardons in the Department of Justice, who disappeared September 15 and has not been seen or heard of since. Although the police inquired at all of the hospitals in the city, they do not think he is in Washington, but a fear of foul play is entertained, as Carroway had a large sum of money about him at the time of his disappearance.

Mr. Easby-Smith made the report to the police last night. He said the young man had worked in the Department of Justice more than a year and had proven steady and reliable at all times. Carroway went to Iowa to visit his relatives in July, on his regular leave, and since his return he lived just beyond the District line in Maryland. On Friday, September 11, he moved to the city and rented a room at 412 Sixth Street northwest.

Monday of last week he did not go to work, but remained around his new boarding-house, and was seen several times by persons there. On Tuesday morning he left the house, ostensibly to go to work, but did not arrive at the Department of Justice, and has not been seen since.

Carroway did not draw his semi-monthly pay, and it was just three days before pay day when he disappeared. Mr. Smith says he inquired of all of Carroway's friends and acquaintances before reporting the disappearance to the police, but none of them could shed any light on the matter, and that gave rise to a fear of foul play. Mr. Carroway suffered a stroke of vertigo about a year ago, but he appeared to be enjoying good health all summer. He is described as being twenty-four years of age, five feet seven inches tall, weighed about 120 pounds, and of light complexion. He is said to have always worn a light gray or dark blue serge sack suit. All of his clothing and effects are at his room at 412 Sixth Street northwest, and will be kept there until something is learned of him.

DEATH RECORD.

The following deaths have been reported to the Health Office for the twenty-four hours ending at noon today:
Hannah Engelmeyer, 89 years.
Elizabeth Scott, 82 years.
Caroline Booth, 79 years.
Mary E. Wetherill, 73 years.
Nathaniel W. Forbes, 69 years.
Caroline A. Phelps, 65 years.
Frank A. Clark, 61 years.
Elizabeth V. E. Brandebury, 47 years.
Philip Williams, 40 years.
Nelson Warren, 40 years.
William N. Butte, 27 years.
Josephine Jamison, 27 years.
Margaret E. Fitzpatrick, 25 years.
James Bryant, 22 years.
Della Frazier, 20 years.
Richard Payne, 16 years.

PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY.

Charles M. Hoover, who conducts a grocery business at 1808 Fourteenth Street, has filed a petition in voluntary bankruptcy. He lists his liabilities at \$1,308.27 and his assets at \$681.05. I. Q. H. Alward is counsel for the petitioner.

Wedding Decorations by Gude
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\$1.50 to Baltimore and Return via B. & O. R. R. Account I. O. O. F. Convention.

September 19 to 25, inclusive, valid for return until 28th, inclusive. Trains "every hour on the hour," both ways, from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. week days.

ASKED THE POLICE TO LOCK HIM IN A CELL

Charles Frederick Seized With Homicidal Mania.

Suffering from homicidal mania, Charles Frederick, thirty-nine years of age, of 232 Four-and-a-half Street southwest, called at the Fourth precinct station last evening and requested the desk sergeant to lock him up because he was of unsound mind. As this was somewhat of an unusual request, the officers hesitated to comply, but when Harry Frederick, of 1018 First Street southwest, arrived at the station and asked the police to comply with Charles' request, they placed him in a cell. Afterward he was conveyed to the Washington Asylum Hospital, where he will be detained until an investigation relative to his sanity can be made.

It was learned last evening that Charles Frederick was at one time an inmate of a ward in the alcoholic division at Providence Hospital. At that time he spent a week in the institution and efforts were made to have him committed to the Government Hospital for the Insane.

MR. COLLINS APPOINTED FOREMAN OF ROAD FORCES

Acting upon the recommendation of Morris Hacker, Superintendent of Roads for the District, the Commissioners have appointed A. J. Collins foreman of the county road forces in the Anacostia section, vice Charles F. Watson, deceased. Mr. Collins has been a foreman for a number of years at a salary of \$3 per diem. The new position pays \$4 per diem.

DR. FREEMAN NOT ELIGIBLE FOR MEDICAL INSPECTOR

The appointment of Dr. Henry W. Freeman, Jr., as medical inspector to the public schools, has been revoked by the Commissioners. Dr. Freeman successfully passed the examination for the position, held September 9, but he has not had the necessary five years' uninterrupted practice in the District of Columbia. Dr. Freeman will be kept on the eligible list, to be reappointed after May 9, 1904.

WATCHING OVER THE CHILDREN.

Major Sylvester has instructed his lieutenants in the different precincts to have their men keep a close watch over the school buildings and the children there at opening and closing and recess times, so as to preserve order among the youngsters and also protect them from accident.

FELL FROM A CAR.

Thomas E. Howard, thirty years of age, of 234 Second Street northeast, fell from a Capital Traction car at Tenth Street and Pennsylvania Avenue northwest, about 12 o'clock last night, and sprained his ankle. He was conveyed to the Emergency Hospital and received the necessary attention.

\$2.00 to Niagara Falls and Return via B. & O. R. R., September 25.

Special train of Pullman parlor cars and day coaches, from Washington, 8:30 a.m. Tickets good for ten days. Stop-overs returning via Philadelphia, thence famous and picturesque Lehigh Valley route. Last excursion October 9.

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—All the best sorts of Tablets, Composition Books, Paperites, etc.
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We'll Adjust a Truss Properly and Free of Cost
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922-924 F Street N. W.

HOUSE, STABLES, AND STORE DESTROYED BY A FIRE

All Small Buildings and Damage Not Exceeding \$1,100.

A dwelling house, two stables, and a store were damaged by a fire which originated in a stable in the rear of 715 Four-and-a-half Street southwest, yesterday afternoon. Before the firemen arrived upon the scene the store at 711 Four-and-a-half Street was afire, and by the time the engines were all in action the flames had spread to a stable in the rear of 711 Four-and-a-half Street and a dwelling at 401 Smithsonian Court.

The firemen fought the flames for more than an hour before they were finally under control. The total damage to the four buildings was about \$700. The stable in which the fire originated was owned by Christopher Dixon. S. M. Stevens, a furniture dealer, who conducted the store, which was gutted, suffered a loss of \$300, while Mr. Waters, who rented one of the stables, lost harness valued at \$75. The Dixon stable was the only insured property.

STEALING BICYCLES A POPULAR OFFENSE

A report in regard to the number of bicycles stolen and recovered throughout the month of August was made by Captain Boardman last night. It showed that bicycle stealing was the most prevalent of any crime in Washington, as well as one of the most profitable. Sixty wheels were stolen in August, and fifty were recovered.

In his last annual report Major Sylvester, Superintendent of Police, stated that 560 bicycles had been stolen during the fiscal year of 1901-1902. Of this great number over 65 per cent were recovered. During the fiscal year which ended with June 30, 1903, it is thought the "bike men" were even more active, but the percentage of arrests promises to run even higher proportionately.

PROTEST AGAINST HARRIET MILLS' WILL

Evans and Mary E. J. Lewis have filed a protest in the Probate Court, against admitting the will of Harriet Mills, dated March 27, 1899, to probate. They say Harriet Mills made a will, June 12, 1883, in which they are named as beneficiaries. The document of March 27, 1899, they say, was made under stress of undue influence.

CHURCH TRUSTEES EJECTED.

Trustees for the coming year at the John Wesley A. M. E. Church have been elected. They are: Albert Lewis, George W. Rice, W. C. O'Neal, U. J. Daniel, Gilbert L. Joy, T. L. Leatherwood, and Randall Bowie.

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It Costs But \$5 a Year

To rent a safe deposit box in the vaults of Union Trust and Storage Co., 1414 F st. n.w. Secure one for your valuable papers and jewelry.

All-Day Democratic Picnic, Sept. 26, at Mount Airy, Md. For accommodation of those desiring to attend, B. & O. R. R. will run special train, leaving Washington 7 a. m., returning leave Mount Airy 5:30 p. m. Rate, \$2.10 round trip.

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This very fine oak Bedroom Suite, large French pattern plate mirror and polish finish.

\$30.00

A very nice solid oak Suite, good size glass, well constructed and finished.

\$15.50



This pretty solid oak Morris Chair with good velvet cushions.

\$4.48



This two-piece Bedroom Suite, consisting of large oak dresser with French plate glass and a heavy white enamel and brass trimmed bed.

\$14.75



A pretty three-piece Parlor Suite upholstered in pretty fancy damask and well made.

\$11.75



A very pretty solid oak Rocker nicely carved and finished.

\$2.25



This large solid oak Sideboard, nice glass and has three drawers and cupboard.

\$9.50



This solid oak 24-in. Table nicely finished.

85c

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Fine Neglige Shirts.....65c
\$2 and \$2.50 Neglige Shirts.....\$1.15
50c Night Shirts, "V" shape, and collars.....80c

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Home and Fashions

including bright, timely anecdotes and bits of useful information for the household—the latest styles, in dress and fabrics, hints for housekeepers, etc.

In the Social World

tersely presenting the important news concerning the best known circles in the American social centers.

The Theaters

are treated from the standpoint of the intelligent playgoer, accurately and broadly, and the criticisms published form an excellent basis for deciding which plays you desire to see.

Books and Writers

Presenting unprejudiced reviews of all the more important current publications, besides keeping the reader abreast with the news and developments of American and foreign literature.

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Covered comprehensively and accurately, all the local exchanges being reported fully by experienced writers. Quotations from all the leading exchanges.

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Skirts, Jackets, Suits, For Stout Women.

Only a few days ago a woman who had no idea of buying, bought two skirts and paid a deposit upon a suit just because she found, while accompanying her daughter, that we had things that she said she had been unable to find elsewhere.

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WALKING SKIRTS—A special underpriced item is: 50 All-wool Thibet Cloth Walking Skirts, with neat piped gored seams, in vertical effects. Special..... **\$6.48**

GRANITE CLOTH WALKING SKIRTS—Medium weight, strapped seams; cloth sponged and shrunken, silk stitched. A very big value. Special..... **\$8.75**

WOROMBO CLOTH SKIRTS—Finest grade fabric, medium weight, ulne-gored styles, strapped seam effect, in all the large waist sizes. Special value..... **\$10.00**

CORSET STYLE SUIT—These Suits in the large sizes are among the most becoming to be had. The jacket is of extra length, strapped; the skirt cut in the new trainless style, strapped to match jacket; sizes 28 to 46. At..... **\$25.00**

Second Floor.

25c Linings, 94c.

Lining is of such good quality, and so much underpriced the 15 pieces we have sold should last less than a day. The Lining is a silk-finished fast black Fercaline, regularly sold the country over at 25c yard. It is 30-inch wide. In the width lies the reason for the very little price, it being sent in place of full yard wide lining as ordered. Tomorrow a yard..... **94c**

First Floor.